

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Chief, FBIS

DATE: 8 October 1964

FROM : Chief, Panama Bureau

SUBJECT: Monthly Progress Report - September 1964

I. GENERAL

- A. Building modifications continued smoothly; the project is 90 percent completed excluding black topping of the parking area.
- B. Administrative decisions adversely affecting two staffers were the subject of exchanges with Headquarters.
- C. Houses being constructed are now scheduled for occupancy in late November.
- D. Arrangements were made for delivery of APO mail to the office by Army messenger.

Attachments

Classified Personnel Report
Foreign Personnel Report
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Technical Attachment

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OPERATIONS ATTACHMENT - Panama Bureau

- I. Following is the net publishable wordage filed to Headquarters during September 1964 by country of origin:

Peru	34,910
Argentina	20,380
Panama	20,430
Colombia	18,410
Chile	15,560
Venezuela	10,280
Bolivia	9,830
Costa Rica	9,390
Ecuador	7,430
Uruguay	5,920
Brazil	5,510
Honduras	5,510
Mexico	4,980
Nicaragua	2,810
El Salvador	570
Paraguay	310
Guatemala	0

Total	172,230
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- II. Operational hours were extended to provide coverage of the Chilean elections and De Gaulle's tour of Latin America.
- III. At the request of BBC, significant broadcast references to the Falkland Islands are filed to London priority.
- IV. On request: 1) an Aeropuerto broadcast was added to Bureau coverage for the PanCanal Information Office; 2) extra copies of the Chiari and Robles inauguration speeches were given to USARSO G-2.

TECHNICAL ATTACHMENT - Panama Bureau

- I. Intercoms, telephones, and teletype lines were relocated. A new console table top was prewired and readied for installation.
- II. Cruising: 48 cruising reports were sent to 14 news alerts were passed to editors from sources not on regular coverage; technicians kept open watch on 33 transmitters. Mostly in connection with the De Gaulle tour. STAT
- III. There were no significant power or communication outages.